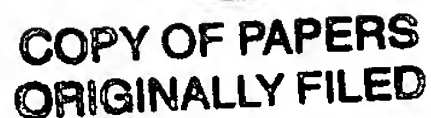


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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required to the account of the undersigned, Deposit Account No. 23/2825. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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